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MATERIALS
Docket No. : SHM-15614
Customer No. : 040854

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

(In response to Paper No./Mail Date 20050829)

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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office action dated September 1, 2005. The three month period for responding to the Office action expires on December 1, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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